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Dear Sir:

The paper copy of the Sequence Listing in this application is identical to the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in U.S. Serial No. 09/004,395, filed January 8, 1998. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the originally-filed specification of the instant application. The paper and computer readable forms of the Sequence Listing are identical and contain no new subject matter.

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